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Brooklyn, N.Y. 52 St. John's Place.

Col. Bosbyshell

Dear Sir:

Pardon my intrusion on your now precious time, but I am desirous of obtaining a little information, which I trust you will design to let me know.

A couple of weeks ago I took the journey to Phila. in the early morning to call in person on Col. Bosbyshell & present my application for a position in the Mint, which I did & am thankful to say was most graciously received. I understood I know not how or where that ladies received (\$30) thirty dollars, or thereabouts weekly as a salary in the Mint, hence sought the position, but I saw a small slip from one of the Philadelphia papers stating that "ladies only received the sum of (\$50) fifty dollars a month & the hours were from 8 o'clock A.M. 'till late in the afternoon, I am somewhat mystified at this assertion, so take the liberty of writing to headquarters to find out what the salaries for ladies are? For me to pay rent, a nurse to care my children & to live besides \$50 dollars a month would hardly be adequate to the demands. If you will kindly enlighten me on this subject you will answer a great kindness on

Mrs. Josephine Russell Widow

November 28, 1889